

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

MEDIA ALERT

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ROADWAY REPAIR WORK SCHEDULED IN MORGAN COUNTY

WHEN: Wednesday, April 4, and Thursday, April 5, weather permitting

WHERE: State Route 24, mile marker 0-8

WHAT: Georgia DOT crews have scheduled roadway repair work to mill and pave areas on State Route 24 in Morgan County, weather permitting.

A pilot car and flaggers will be used for this work. Motorists should reduce their speed in these and all work zones.

Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-seven Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For information on the Department of Transportation, visit (www.dot.ga.gov); you also may follow Georgia DOT on [Facebook](http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT) (<http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT>) and [Twitter](http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans) (<http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans>).